"BATH BRIDE'S" HAIR USED FOR MURDER PROOF

Prosecution's Witness Says He Found Tresses in Tub.

CROWN SAYS SMITH DROWNED WIVES

He Sought Investment of \$2,500 Just Before Woman's Death Left Him That Amount.

"I thought it queer," he observed.

January, 1914, he would have another \$2,500 to invest. Alice Burnham Smith was found dead on December 12, 1913, and her will brought Smith exactly The inspector's testimony closed the

Alice Burnham Smith case, and the Crown began presenting evidence in the case of Margaret Elizabeth Lofty, the prisoner's sixth wife, who was found dead in a bathtub while on her honeymoon at Highgate, December 15, 1914, after willing the prisoner \$3,500. Sixth Wife Left Will.

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Under the name of John Lloyd Smith, according to Scotland Yard detectives who were the first witnesses, he married the Lofty woman exactly three months after he had taken a fifth wile.

Mrs. Emma Heiss, of Orchard Road, Highgate, testified that the prisoner, with the Lofty woman, attempted to roat rooms in her lodging houre at Highgate. Smith first inquired if she had a bathroom, she testified. She said she diff not like Smith's looks and declined to admit the couple. Later they took rooms in Bismarck Road at Highgate, she said.

"I Loved the World and Its."

me nude body of Alice Burnham Smith TITANIC BULKHEADS lity of woman's hair in the tub. SHORT, SAYS EXPERT

Declares Builders Should Have and labored hand, contrasting sharply to Fit Big Liner.

pert. Dr. Billings, who assisted in should have been built higher, Richard leaves a word of advice for one "Lyle, mortan, described the position Robinson, president of the Lake Sub- who, the police believe, is his son. It marine Company, declared yesterday in reads: That the head was at the narrow end Line to lim t its liability in suits aris- an empty whiskey bottle was found lying from the loss of the Titanic.

The Titanic was built on the "two Billings said the post-morten compartment" plan, he said, when, because of her unusual size and the enormous number of passengers she carmous number of passengers sh



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'AWFUL WILL BE MY HELL, WRITES SUICIDE AT END

"I Loved the World and Its Beauty-but the Agony of the Cell," He Says.

walk at neon. Early in the afternoon, walk at neon. Early in the afternoon, them, a wealthy retired merchant, of witnesses testified, Smith ran downrushed upstairs on the gas, in an uptown boarding house to-ith. They saw the prisoner day. Several notes scattered about the room indicated that he had struggled to record his dying sensations to the last minute of consciousness. The measages hint that he was about to be separated from his wife and sent to an isane asylum.

The last note, written in a scrawling Worked Out New Safety Plan with the fine penmanship of the earlier ones, describes the man's sorrow at having to leave the world, gives his Transverse bulkheads in the Titanic impressions as the end approaches and

"Remember, Lyle, I am not drunk"ing near him-"but have just taken whiskey to make me sleep." Then fol-"My last message is I love you."

Arranged Death Carefully.

The man had made careful preparathe escape of gas, and had moved a wrote the notes, seated on a chair in was found the chair was overturned, a pencil was on the floor and several sheets of paper scattered over the room, indicating that he had used his for the erection and maintenance of the last strength to get from the chair to memorial.

last strength to get from the chair to the bed.

The first note, believed to have been written before he returned to the boarding house, and which was found in a Bible in his room, reads:

"Dearest Jennie: I had not planned this when I pleaded with you to let me stay with the Rev. Laning last night. But I saw my life was to be spent in great agony, and before I knew it I was on the go to end all. I did not dare to return, because I knew that awful asylum would be my destiny. I do hope you can put up the fight and go back with Lyle. I have not this whiskey because I like it, but to put me to sleep. I could not shoot myself. Awful will be my hell."

On the other side is written: "Oh, Jennie, do not blame yourself, for you are not to blame. Death is better than life separation. I could not help it. I could not be kept at Dr. Lyon's. I realize that." Written across the middle of the note is "3 o'clock."

A accoul note, evidently written after he had made his preparations to die, reads:

"My God, Jennie, I did not realize what I had done until I got into this

die, reads:

"My God, Jennie, I did not realize what I had done until I got into this room. Have I driven you wild? God forbid. I would gladly return if I forbid. I would gladly return if I could be of help to you, but I cannot. I will only be worse. I have not drunk this whiskey to get drunk, but to put me dead to the world so that the gas will do its work. I bought the gun to blow my brains out, but I was afraid I would not do it and only leave me more of a burden. I do not care what people may say. I love you, Jennie, the best of any one on earth. But the asylum was the only place for me, and I could not stand it."

"Loved World and Its Beauty."

EDDY MEMORIAL

for Monument at Grave of Christian Scientist.

Boston, June 26.-Announcement of the completion of plans for a memorial monument to be erected at the grave of Mrs. Mary Baker G. Eddy, founder of strength apparently almost gone, adds: the Christian Science Church, in Mount made to-day.

tions for death. He had placed pillows of a circular open colonnade of eight at the bottom of the door to prevent; columns, resting on a base of three large bureau against the door. He platform, from which a double flight front of this bureau. When his body small lake. The material will be white bronze. The detail will be floral. A fund of \$110,000 has been raised

QUIT HARVARD

Continued from page 1

ARMY AND NAVY ORDERS:

ARMY.

wing changes in Signal Corps ordered: Capn JOSEPH B DOUGLAS from Army Service
howie. Ft. Learenwith, July 31, to San Franco, thence about August, 5, to Hawaii, 10
cmand Field Co. F. Capt. ELISHA G. Alt.

T.T. from Army Service Schools, Ft. Learenth August 30, to San Francisco, thence about
zomber 6 to Philippines for duty as comnoing office, Field Co. L. vice Capt. Julish
CHIRISTIAN, to the Army Service Schools,
Learenworth.

nounced
First Lieut, CHARLES L. WILLIAMS, Const. Art.,
from 120th to 4th Co. Coast Art., shout September 5, thence via San Francisco to Manila.
Second Lieut, WHITMON R. CONGLET, Frin Inf.,
to Ft. Sam Houstont, July 1, for examination to
determine fitness in aviation section of Signal
Corps.

ordinance, Dringerport, umbla.
Licut A. B. COOK, detached New York; to Ar-kansas.
Licut L. C. FARLEY, detached New York; to home, to await orders.

Lieut, C. L. HAND, to Atlantic Reserve Fleet, by Aug.

Engign H. C. WICK, detached Kentucky, to Illinois, Tiburos.

une Bureau.]
Washingtoo, June 26. Ensign H. J. SHIELDS, detached Kearsarge; to Alabama. Ensign T. H. WINTERS, detached Kearsarge; te Bifnots.

RETIME A. B. COUR. GRACHED New York; to Earnam Lieut L. C. FARLLEY, detached New York; to Arkansam Lieut J. H. HOOVER, detached North Carolina; home, to await orders.
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PROPOSED MEMORIAL TO MRS. MARY BAKER G. EDDY.



PLANS COMPLETED

\$110,000 Fund Has Been Raised

Auburn Cemetery, Cambridge, was

The memorial, designed by Egerton Swartwout, of New York, will consist steps and surrounded by a circular of steps will lead to the edge of a granite, with inscriptions in white

The appeal for contributions was

hat, saying it would make a good hatmay say. I love you, Jennie, the best of any one on earth. But the asylum was the only place for me, and I could not stand it."

"Loved World and Its Beauty."

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Another note, the third, was written after the gas had been flowing from the jet for some time.

"I now begin to leave this world. Oh, how I hate to go! I loved this world and its beauty. How beautiful is everything! But the agony of the cell—I love my dear Helen and oh, Lyle, be true to her. Could I have lived to see you both in a home! But not so. I must go. Oh, why could I not have kept my business? No one knows how I hate to leave this world and my loved ones."

On the opposite page is additional advice to "Lyle."

"Take good care of your mother. I did not intend to come to this. Oh, how I would like to stay to see you, but nothing but asylum before me."

After a blank space this follows: "Never retire from business, Lyle. That is what ruined the man you call father."

Merrithew had dealt until recently in real estate speculation in Long Beach, Cal. Two months ago he returned from California after an absence of eight years.

The total content of the third, was written after the gas had been found of it.

State Wants Evelyn Thaw.

Detectives were still looking for Evelyn Nesbit Thaw yesterday, as the state attorneys wish to put her on the stand. Word came last night that she attorneys wish to put her on the stand. Word came last night that she attorneys wish to put her on the stand. Word came last night that she attorneys wish to put her on the stand. Word came last night that she attorneys wish to put her on the stand. Word came last night that she attorneys wish to put her on the stand. Word came last night that she stand. Word came last night that she attorneys wish to put her on the stand. Word came last night that she stand. Word came last night that she attorneys wish to put her on the stand. Word came last night that she stand. Word came last night that she stand. Word came last night

MOVEMENTS OF WARSHIPS

CHARLES M. ALLEN, 2d Field Art, found tractitated for active service; retirement an-

Lieut, W. H. LEE, to New York Shipbuilding June 26.—Iwana, Boston for Newport, Co., connection fitting out Ericason and duty on beard when commissioned. Lieut, W. L. CALIOUN, detached inspector of ordinance, Bridgeper, Conn., Aug. 1, to Columbia.

Ordinance, Bridgeper, Conn., Aug. 1, to Columbia. NAVY.

MOVEMENTS.
ARRIVED
June 25.—Dolphin, at New London: Tankton, Michigan and Committee, at Newport, Prileia, to Lambert Force, Kran, Walke, at Committee Committee, Walke, at Volcan, at Philadelphia, Nicholson, at New London. SAILED

Justice Shearn that his taxes were too high. In Manhattan and Brooklyn, Sherry said, property is generally as-

FIANCE BLINDS GIRL, THEN KILLS HIMSELF

for Restaurant, He Says.

New York Cafe Manager Jealous at Seeing City Employe Walking with Another.

Water Supply of New York, was shot yesterday at Katonah by her supposed fiancé, Charles Kelly, manager of a café in the Flatiron Building, who then killed himself. Miss Beck may live, but physicians say she will be blind, as the optic nerve has apparently been she lost herself, and the special train

SHERRY WANTS TAX CUT WARRIORS' SCIONS WORRY OVER GUNS \$3,435,000 Basis Too High

Louis Sherry, the restaurauteur, went Quiz Officers at Sandy Hook on to the Supreme Court yesterday to tell New York's Danger from Enemy Fleet.

sessed at about 77 per cent of what it is worth. Obviously, it was unfair, the restaurant man asserted, that he should be assessed on a basis of \$3,435,000, when the actual value of his restaurant at Fifth Avenue and Forty-fourth Street was only \$3,075,000.

Justice Shearn signed an order requiring Lawson Purdy, president of the Tax Board, and his associates, to set forth their reason for assessing the property at the rate complained of. [By Telegraph to The Tribune.] its tri-annual session here.

"Can these guns shot far enough to keep war vessels out? Is it true that the powder you have here wouldn't last longer than forty minutes in actual engagement? It isn't true that you haven't enough powder for one big battle, is it?" These were some of the questions

asked of the officers. The soldiers sistant Engineer Coffin of the Board of smiled but made no reply. They were forced to laugh when one woman said she understood the guns were all too old to prove effective against a hostile So interested did Mrs. Charles

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INTERESTING SUMMER SALES

An Important Sale of Smart Bathing Costumes

Thirty-fourth Street

for Women and Misses will be a feature of unusual and seasonable interest in the Department on the Third Floor to-morrow. It will offer entirely new models, made of the most desirable materials and representing the fashionable ideas, at prices that are sufficiently low to command immediate attention.

BATHING COSTUMES

(all with combination included)

Of satin, with silk braid trimming, \$6.50 Of satin or taffeta, with vestee of white Of satin, trimmed with white-and-black silk Of satin, with white pique collar and kid \$18.00 belt Of mohair

ALSO WOMEN'S SWIMMING SUITS Of worsted, trimmed with braid .

An Exceptional Reduction Sale of Women's Summer Blouses

arranged for to-morrow, will offer really remarkable values at these low prices:

Lingerie Blouses, including voiles, batistes and linens, at \$1.25, 1.65, 2.00 & 3.00 Blouses of crepe de Chine, French crepe or

A Very Unusual Offering of Silk Smocks for House and Lawn

has been prepared especially for to-morrow (Monday). The Smock is one of the distinctive novelties of the present Summer, and this is the first Special Sale of these attractive garments. It will comprise daintily-made Smocks of India silk, polkadot silk, dotted silk crepe, silk pongee, Habutai silk, taffeta, crepe de Chine and brocade, variously priced at

\$5.25, 7.85, 9.25 & 12.50 Also Smocks of linene . . at \$3.50 (Department on the Second Floor)

June 29th

A Sale of Hosiery

for Men and Women, will present unsurpassed values to-morrow at these prices:

Women's Silk Hose, in black or white, per pair . . 80c.

Women's Silk Hose,

in black, per pair 95c.

Men's Mercerized Lisle Thread Halfhose, in navy, Palm Beach, gray, white or black, per half-dozen pairs . . \$1.25

On TUESDAY,

Another Sale of Women's Summer Dresses & Skirts

will be held in the Department on the Third Floor (Madison Avenue section). It will comprise:

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\$5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00. 10.00 & 17.00 SEPARATE COTTON SKIRTS, for sports

and utility wear, at \$2.25, 3.00, 3.75 & 4.00

A Sale of Couch Hammocks

at the special price of \$7.50

is now being hold. These Hammocks offer especially good value, being well made and embodying the latest approved features in construction and materials.

Special Salespeople will, if desired, be detailed to accompany patrons to the Store's various departments.

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ON SATURDAY JULY 3rd, THE STORE WILL BE CLOSED ALL DAY AND WILL REMAIN CLOSED UNTIL TUESDAY, JULY 6th.